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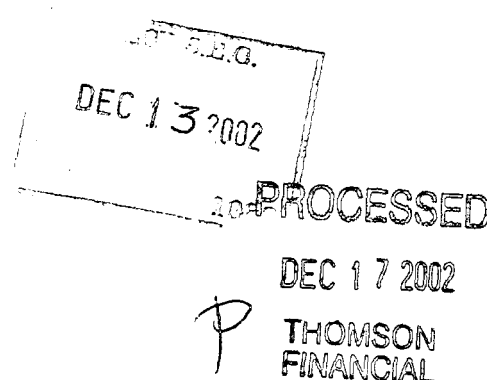
Mr. Brian Johnson
Branch Chief
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Dear Mr. Johnson:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1933, Federated Premier Municipal Income Fund, Common shares of beneficial interest, par value \$.01. The NYSE requests simultaneous acceleration of registration of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, together with the 1933 Act. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on December 13, 2002. Tentative listing date - December 20, 2002.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Parag Mehta".



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